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**Moderator**

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE

**Town Clerk**

DAVID A. GRANT

**Selectmen**

HERVEY H. HOBBS      GEORGE A. PUSHEE  
SIDNEY A. CONVERSE

**Treasurer**

DAVID A. GRANT

**Overseer of the Poor**

GEORGE A. PUSHEE

**Tax Collector**

EARL C. PERKINS

**Road Agent**

FRED J. BRYANT

**Trustees of the Trust Funds**

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE      GEORGE A. PUSHEE  
HERVEY H. HOBBS

**Auditors**

ARAD J. WARREN      RALPH W. BALCH

**Supervisors**

ARAD J. WARREN      EZRA B. ALDEN  
ARTHUR E. DERBY

**Library Trustees**

GEORGE M. WOODWELL      ARTHUR E. DERBY  
CARRIE WHITTEMORE      GEO. W. WEYMOUTH  
HENRY S. PUSHEE      MRS. L. A. ALDEN  
RALPH W. BALCH      EARL C. PERKINS  
HERVEY H. HOBBS

**School Board**

ALVIN D. THAYER      ARTHUR E. DERBY  
MARY A. CHASE

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Lyme, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Church Hall in said Lyme, on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be thought necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.
3. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of the town officers as printed.
4. To see what order the town will adopt in relation to the savings bank tax the ensuing year.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be thought necessary for making and repairing highways and bridges the ensuing year.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred dollars for the purpose of graveling the road between H. M. Bryant's and Adna Perkins'
7. To raise such sums of money as may be thought necessary for the support of the town library the ensuing year.
8. To see if the town will vote to allow bank discount on all taxes paid before Nov. 1st, 1927.

9. To see how much money the town will raise for improvements in the cemeteries.
10. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred dollars for the Mary Hitchcock Hospital.
11. To see what compensation the town will allow its various officers for the ensuing year.
12. To see if the town will vote to raise four hundred dollars for the prevention of the spread of the White Pine Blister Rust.
13. To see if the town will vote to raise five hundred dollars for street lights the ensuing year.
14. To see if the town will vote to observe old home day and appropriate money therefor.
15. To see if the town will vote the sum of twenty-five dollars for the G. A. R.
16. To see how much money, if any, the town will vote to raise for the purpose of graveling the road from Lyme Ctr., towards Dorchester.
17. To see if the town will vote to raise such amounts as recommended by N. H. Highway Department.
18. To see if the town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the merits of a town forest, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

HERVEY H. HOBBS  
GEORGE A. PUSHEE  
SIDNEY A. CONVERSE

Selectmen of Lyme.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HERVEY H. HOBBS  
GEORGE A. PUSHEE  
SIDNEY A. CONVERSE

Selectmen of Lyme.

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF LYME

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Polls	441	
Land and buildings		\$821,941.00
Horses, 277		26,990.00
Mules, 2		125.00
Oxen, 6		450.00
Cows, 926		47,825.00
Neat Stock, 245		9,595.00
Sheep, 139		1,285.00
Hogs, 7		165.00
Fowls, 3988		4,640.00
Mills, 11		3,400.00
Stock in trade		52,200.00
Pumps and tanks		1,700.00
Acqueducts		700.00
Mills and machinery		3,900.00
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Total valuation		\$974,916.00
Soldiers' exemption		14,630.00
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		\$960,286.00
Tax rate	\$2.80	
Amount of tax		\$27,700.00

## BUDGET FOR 1927

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### Appropriation 1926

General government	
Savings Bank, Income tax and Auto permits	
Highways and Bridges	\$5,300.00
Bryant-Perkins road	200.00
Town Library	250.00
Hospital	200.00
Street lights	100.00
Improvements on Common	300.00
State Aid Maintenance	1,820.00
State Aid Construction	475.00
Federal Aid Construction	7,500.00
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,420.00

### Estimated for 1927

In addition to Savings Bank tax, Income tax, and Auto permits	
Highways and Bridges	5,500.00
Bryant-Perkins road	500.00
Town Library	250.00
Hospital	200.00
Street lights	500.00
Pine Blister Rust	400.00
G. A. R.	25.00
State Aid Construction	1,440.00
State Aid Maintenance	2,625.00
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,400.00
Federal Aid Reconstruction	850.00

If the town appropriates the above amounts for State Aid roads the State will appropriate:

State Aid Construction	\$1,440.00
State Aid Maintenance	2,625.00
Trunk Line Maintenance	4,200.00
Federal Aid Reconstruction	2,350.00

## REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

### Balance

### Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$4,672.17
<b>Accounts Due the Town</b>	
<b>Due from the State:</b>	
Joint highway accounts	
Unexpended balances in the	
State Treasury	\$1,530.15
Bounties	30.60
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	\$1,560.75

### Other Bills Due Town

Town of Thetford, for planking	
East Thetford bridge	\$23.00
Town of Thetford for painting	
bridge	100.00
For overdraft	7.05
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	\$130.05

### Taxes bought by town:

Levy of 1921	\$48.16
Levy of 1922	431.95
Levy of 1923	96.43
Levy of 1924	380.40
Levy of 1925	531.60
Levy of 1926	857.55
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	\$2,346.09

Total assets	\$8,709.06
Excess of liabilities over assets, (net debt)	5,174.51
Grand total	<hr/> \$13,883.57

**Sheet**

**Jan. 31, 1927**

**Liabilities**

**Accounts Owed by the Town**

Bills outstanding	\$500.00	\$500.00
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**Due to School District**

Dog licenses	\$293.33
Appropriation	5,320.04
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	\$5,613.87

**State and Town Joint Highway Accounts**

Unexpended balance in State	
Treasury	\$1,530.15
Unexpended balance in Town	
Treasury	1,085.33
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Unexpended balance of Holt	
and Barnes special	29.72

**Long Term Notes Outstanding**

For Federal Aid 212c	5,125.00
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Total liabilities	\$13,883.57

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

### Description

#### Town Library:

Furnishings	\$394.05
Equipment, including books	3,010.43
Funds \$661.41 Available	
cash \$49.93	711.34
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	\$4,115.82

#### Police Department:

Land and buildings	300.00
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#### Fire Department:

Land and buildings	\$338.32
Equipment	1,300.00
	—————
	\$1,638.32

#### Highway Department:

Land and buildings	\$300.00
Equipment	1,000.00
Materials and supplies	200.00
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	\$1,500.00

Herbert H. Barnes, Free Bed	5,000.00
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Total	\$12,554.14
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## **REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK**

Received for licenses on 148 dogs	\$339.40
Less Clerk's fees @ 20c	29.60
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Received for 255 Auto permits	\$309.70
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Paid Town Treasurer	\$1,406.32
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Lyme, N. H., Jan. 31, 1927.

David A. Grant, Town Clerk.

## REPORT OF THE

### RECEIPTS

#### **Current Revenue from Local Taxes:**

Property tax committed to Collector, 1926	\$26,888.00
Less discounts and abatements	311.82
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	\$26,576.08
Poll taxes actually collected	858.00
Extra tax not committed to collector	5.60
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Total above collections	\$27,439.68
Tax sales redeemed	1,154.83

#### **From State for Highways:**

For snow removal	\$236.13
For Dorchester special	208.49
For State Aid maintenance	1,807.90
For Trunk Line, maintenance	4,437.92
For State Aid construction	1,928.58
For Trunk Line reconstruction	22,264.86
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Interest and dividend tax	\$839.54
Insurance tax	16.50
Railroad tax	422.54
Savings Bank tax	990.55
Bounties	51.00
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	\$30,883.88
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	\$2,320.13

#### **From Local Sources Except Taxes:**

Dog licenses	\$309.70
Sale of tractor	275.00
Sale of hay	10.00
Interest received on taxes	3.62
Filing fee	2.00
Permits for registration of motor vehicles	1,096.92
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	\$1,697.24

## TOWN TREASURER

### PAYMENTS

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#### Current Maintenance Expense, Gen. Government:

1. Town officers, salaries	\$1,063.94
2. Town officers, expense	285.41
3. Election expense	83.00
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	\$1,432.35

#### Protection of Persons and Property:

4. Police department and care of tramps	\$49.00
5. Fire department	221.78
6. Bounties	30.60
7. Damage by dogs	9.25
	—————
	\$310.63
8. Health department including hospitals Mary Hitchcock Mem. Hospital	\$200.00
Vital statistics	9.75
	—————
	\$209.75

#### Highways and Bridges:

9. State aid maintenance	\$2,329.22
10. Trunk Line maintenance	3,345.24
11. Town maintenance	6,311.62
12. Snow removal	472.26
13. Street lights	503.75
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14. Water troughs	\$12,962.09
	14.00

## **RECEIPTS, Continued**

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### **Receipts Other than Current Revenue:**

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$22,000.00
Emma Barnes Holt and George W. Barnes gift for highway	1,000.00
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	\$23,000.00
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Cash on hand February 1st, 1926	\$86,495.76
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Grand total	7,627.23
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	\$94,122.99

## PAYMENTS, Continued

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### Libraries:

15. Lyme Town Library 305.00

### Recreation:

16. Parks and Playgrounds 368.85

### Public Service Enterprises:

17. Cemeteries 266.45

### Unclassified:

18. Taxes bought by town \$857.55  
Cleaning town clock 30.40  

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\$887.95

### 19. Interest:

Dartmouth National Bank 275.15

### Outlay for New Construction, Highways and Bridges

20. State aid construction \$5,293.04  
21. Trunk line reconstruction 33,818.69  
22. Emma Barnes Holt and George W. Barnes special 970.28  
23. Dorchester special 416.99  

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\$40,499.00  
24. Payments on temporary loans 17,000.00

### 25. Payments of Other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to State \$5,293.04  
Taxes paid to County 2,202.29  
Payments to school district 10,182.31  

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\$14,919.60

Total payments for all purposes \$89,450.82  
Cash on hand February 1st, 1927 4,672.17  

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Grand total \$94,122.99

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### Detail One, Salaries

Hervey H. Hobbs, Selectman	\$128.50
George A. Pushee, Selectman	171.00
Sidney A. Converse, Selectman	132.00
David A. Grant, Clerk	134.75
David A. Grant, Treasurer	75.00
Earl C. Perkins, Collector	416.69
Ralph W. Balch, Auditor	3.00
Arad J. Warren, Auditor	3.00
	<hr/> \$1,063.94

### Detail Two, Expenses

The Cory Press, reports	\$146.16
Edson C. Eastman Co., blanks	37.18
W. J. Eastman, transfers	2.58
Sidney A. Converse, money paid	15.82
George A. Pushee, money paid	40.00
Hervey H. Hobbs, money paid	21.69
David A. Grant, clerk's expense	19.98
Tax Assessors Assn., tax	2.00
	<hr/> \$285.41

### Detail Three, Election Expense

Arthur E. Derby, supervisor	\$16.50
Sidney A. Converse, moderator	12.00
Carroll S. Wells, ballot clerk	15.00
Alvin D. Thayer, ballot clerk	3.00
George S. Mayo, ballot clerk	6.00
Fred W. Grant, ballot clerk	6.00
Congregational Church, hall rent	24.50
	<hr/> \$83.00

### Detail Four, Police Department and Care of Tramps

Herbert W. Dike	\$38.00
Frank H. Bailey, wood	6.00
Hervey H. Hobbs, wood	5.00
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**Detail Five, Fire Department**

Earl C. Perkins, care of engine	\$40.00
Guy A. Roberts, coal	41.06
Fred A. Randlett, coal	58.37
Turner's Garage, repairs on engine	60.85
Frank E. West, supplies	21.50
	—————
	\$221.78

**Detail Six, Bounties**

George A. Pushee	\$24.80
Hervey H. Hobbs	4.80
Sidney A. Converse	1.00
	—————
	\$30.60

**Detail Seven, Damage by Dogs**

George W. Barnes	9.25
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**Detail Eight, Health**

Mary Hitchcock Hospital	\$200.00
George W. Weymouth, Vital statistics	7.00
F. A. Bogardus vital statistics	.50
David A. Grant, cash for statistics	2.25
	—————
	\$209.75

**Detail Nine, State Aid Maintenance**

Guy A. Roberts, truck	\$393.54
Guy Roberts, mileage	16.60
Guy Roberts, use of tractor	25.00
George Thompson	33.75
W. Thompson	4.05
H. Uline	9.45
Eugene Pushee	23.50
C. Clafin	12.15
George Grant	25.40
George Maynard	18.45
M. Uline	4.05
H. Hobbs	248.49
C. Gray	16.20
F. Hewes	8.10

E. Hall	16.20
L. Young	14.40
J. Young	16.20
G. Shattuck	14.40
N. Hood	16.20
W. Harriaman	14.40
J. Holmes	16.20
D. Kenniston	16.20
J. Kenniston	16.20
D. Fowler	14.40
H. Balch	22.50
C. Eaton	16.20
H. Martin	16.20
B. Bachelder	14.40
G. Bushaw	14.40
E. Dicey	14.40
J. Dicey	14.40
J. Greenwood	16.20
John Surette	16.20
S. Milbury	14.40
G. Gardner	14.40
F. Pike	16.20
P. Sciver	8.10
J. Tolrie	8.10
L. Mack	6.30
A. Bachelder	6.30
	—————\$1,212.23

#### State Aid Maintenance

Weymouth Pike patrol	\$630.75
Eugene Pike	139.00
Henry Pike	96.00
Charles D. Sanborn	113.00
George Clough	99.75
Fred W. Grant, lumber	3.45
D. A. Derby	1.65
Frank E. West	4.14
Turner Garage	13.05
Lyme Garage	1.20
George Pushee	6.00
Alfred Pushee	2.00
	—————\$1,109.99

### **Detail Ten, Trunk Line Maintenance**

Guy A .Roberts, truck	\$481.54
Guy A. Roberts, foreman	112.50
Guy A. Roberts, mileage	12.70
Guy A. Roberts, supplies	64.04
Guy A .Roberts, tractor	30.00
G. Thompson	32.40
H. Uline	68.40
W. Thompson	4.05
E. Pushee	30.25
George Grant	18.10
G .Maynard	23.85
H .Hobbs	313.39
C. Gray	8.10
F. Hewes	8.10
E. Hall	14.40
L .Young	14.40
J. Young	8.10
G. Shattuck	14.40
N. Hood	8.10
W. Harriman	14.40
J. Holmes	8.10
D. Kenniston	8.10
J. Kenniston	8.10
D. Fowler	14.40
W. Balch	14.40
C. Eaton	8.10
H .Martin	8.10
B. Bachelder	14.40
E. Bushaw	14.40
E. Dicey	14.40
J. Dicey	8.10
J. Greenwood	8.10
J. Sorette	8.10
S. Milbury	8.10
G. Gardner	14.40
F. Pike	8.10
F. Mullen	6.30
L. Mack	6.30
A. Bachelder	6.30

J. E. Janelle	35.50
S. Elliott	8.10
L. Balch, water	20.00
C. Gilbert	36.00
F. A. Randlett, supplies	4.36
	\$1,571.48

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#### Trunk Line Maintenance, D. C. Road

Weymouth Pike, patrol	\$927.25
Chester Pike	4.00
Eugene Pike	208.00
Henry Pike	55.00
B. & M. R. R. freight	83.39
F. A. Randlett, supplies	4.82
F. E. West, supplies	.33
Turner's Garage	1.30
John Rice, posts	13.50
Charles Sanborn	192.00
Am. Ex. Co.	.42
Wm. Rutledge, posts	50.25
Earl Pike	18.00
Roy Bombard	89.50
George Clough	126.00
	\$1,773.76

#### Detail Eleven, Town Maintenance

Fred J. Bryant, Foreman

Fred J. Bryant	\$465.10
Fred J. Bryant, teams	595.67
George Bryant	318.68
Guy Brockway	238.99
N. E. R. M. Co.	10.50
Harry Perkins	232.87
F. L. Blake	35.50
Leo Wilmot	6.22
H. D. Wilmot	5.65
D. A. Derby	25.63
F. E. West	15.00
C. D. Pike, gravel	12.00

Ray Eastman	4.00
Earl Pike	9.40
H. H. Johnson	7.00
James I. LaMott, lumber	97.50
Perley Ward	9.50
B. A. Soule	5.40
Chas. Lockwood	455.43
Alvin Derby	414.00
Berton Elder	258.82
Vernon Hall	96.75
Gerald Davis	154.20
J. A. Thompson	211.54
Chas. Davis	77.10
Chas. Gilbert	3.70
Edd Webb	292.62
Frank Webb	16.20
Sidney Bates	177.07
Frank Bailey	16.00
Albert Wing	40.50
F. A. Randlett	6.10
F. H. Johnson	24.00
Rich Brothers	21.76
J. A. King	54.00
John Jewell	7.65
Bert LaMott	133.65
Hiland Hall	40.00
Will Horton	105.30
Herbert Perkins	121.50
Frank Gregory	40.00
Fred Hall	16.00
Roy Godfrey	12.00
Frank Bonett	16.00
Hiram Cook	32.00
Chas. Wilcox	8.00
Elmer Follansbee	60.80
Harry Guitar	8.10
	—————\$5,015.40

#### Snow Bills

F. J. Bryant	\$63.70
F. J. Bryant, teams	87.91

George Bryant	29.37
Guy Brockway, teams	23.93
J .A. Thompson	23.16
J. A. Thompson, teams	23.16
Harry Perkins	6.00
Leo Wilmot	9.00
George Shattuck	4.00
Arthur Welch	6.00
Weymouth Pike	80.00
Mylon Messier	80.00
Chas. Pike	80.00
Ray Eastman	5.00
Perley Ward	2.00
Earl Pike	20.51
W. D. Johnson	8.55
Joseph Thompson	4.05
F. H. Bailey	2.10
C. A. Smith	4.00
F. H. Johnson	7.65
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	\$570.09

#### Highway Bills Paid by Selectmen

Alvah M. Stevens, lumber	\$370.00
Hervey H. Hobbs, labor	22.00
George A. Pushee, labor	30.00
Leroy E. Dennis, snow	14.00
Guy A. Roberts, ploughing snow	132.50
Weymouth Pike, snow	24.50
Frank Noyes snow	1.00
Leon F. Young, snow	4.00
Frank E. West, supplies	3.01
John L. Jewell	4.00
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	\$605.01

#### Painting Bridge

Frank E. West, paint and oil	\$11.12
Charles B. Webb, painting	110.00
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	\$121.12

### **Detail Twelve, Snow Removal Trunk Line**

Hervey H. Hobbs	\$215.00
Guy A. Roberts	214.96
William H. Thompson	27.45
Lee W. Cutting	4.05
George W. Thompson	8.55
Clayton H. Clafin	2.25
	—————
	\$472.26

### **Detail Thirteen, Street Lights**

Bradford Electric Light Co.	503.75
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### **Detail Fourteen, Water Troughs**

Charles D. Pike, 2 yrs.	\$4.00
George W. Barnes, 2 yrs.	4.00
Isaac Ellsworth	3.00
David J. Pushee	3.00
	—————
	\$14.00

### **Detail Fifteen, Libraries**

Lyme Town Library, appropriation	\$200.00
Arad J. Warren, insurance	55.00
	—————
	\$305.00

### **Detail Sixteen, Parks and Playgrounds**

L. G. Hayes, labor	\$45.00
Mylon I. Messier, labor	136.55
Harry Magoon, labor	6.50
Sidney A. Converse labor	29.50
Frank H. Bailey, labor	5.00
George A. Pushee labor	13.50
Charles H. Greenough, labor	9.50
Fred W. Grant use of spreader	12.00
Benj. A. Emery, fertilizer	15.00
Wilber F. Slack fertilizer	50.00
Edwin C. Abbott, fertilizer	19.00
Caroline L. Chase, fertilizer	7.00
Frank E. West, grass seed	20.30
	—————
	\$368.85

### **Detail Seventeen, Cemeteries**

Charles A. Monroe, labor	\$130.60
Sidney A. Converse, labor	26.45
Charles H. Greenough, labor	5.00
Adams & McNichol, labor	11.00
Edd M. Cutting, labor	12.00
James I. LaMott, lumber	10.72
Frank E. West, paint	30.93
Earl C. Perkins, painting	39.75
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	\$266.45

### **Detail Eighteen, Unclassified**

Taxes bought by town	\$857.55
E. Howard Clock Co.,	
cleaning clock	30.40
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	\$887.95

### **Detal Nineteen, Interest**

Dartmouth National Bank	275.15
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### **Detail Twenty, State Aid Construction**

Guy A. Roberts, truck	\$748.00
Guy A. Roberts, mileage	55.20
Guy A .Roberts, gravel	206.70
Guy A. Roberts, use of tractor	5.00
Guy A. Roberts, foreman	7.50
H. H. Hobbs, truck	1,645.52
Eugene Pushee	71.00
Geo. Grant	155.00
C. Gray	76.95
F. Hewes	12.15
L. Young	20.25
E. Hall	72.90
J. Young	113.40
G. Shattuck	85.05
N. Hood	111.60
W. Harriman	12.15
J. Holmes	93.15
D. Kenniston	121.50
J .Kenniston	117.45

G. Maynard	20.25
G. Fowler	76.95
H. Balch	56.70
C. Eaton	56.70
H. Martin	60.75
A. Bachelder	12.15
G. Bushaw	16.20
E. Dicey	12.15
J. Dicey	12.15
J. Greenwood	68.85
J. Surette	109.35
S. Milbury	113.40
G. Gardner	12.15
F. Pike	85.05
A. Jasper	60.00
Lee Cutting	36.45
A. Bachelder	8.10
P. Scroes	48.60
J. Tolrie	48.60
I. E. LaMott	112.05
C. Goodrich	48.60
A. Wing	56.70
M. Manchuer	8.10
W. Pike	78.33
G. Parker	56.70
A. Downing	24.30
H. Wing	28.00
H. Gray	44.55
W. Downing	32.40
F. Pushee	17.24
L. Pike	22.50
G. Greenwood, gravel	25.35
I. E. LaMott, gravel	93.15
	\$5,292.99

### Detail Twenty-one, Trunk Line Reconstruction

#### Federal Aid 212C

Guy A. Roberts, foreman	\$577.50
Guy Roberts, truck	5,380.20
Guy Roberts, mileage	435.60

Guy Roberts, gas and oil	271.22
Guy Roberts, gravel	176.40
Us eof tractor	205.00
W. D. Biathrow	560.00
M. Wing	768.00
L. A. Ware, supplies	97.55
B. & M. R. R. freight	318.59
J. B. Varick, supplies	614.84
Geo. Trussell, repairs	34.19
F. E. West	281.92
Miller Auto Co.,	117.78
Lee Sargent	164.33
Sullivan Machine Co.	250.69
T. E. Ward	97.17
W. H. Campbell	415.70
E. C. Perkins	8.54
Clough & Goodell	42.75
A .H. Dutton	18.00
F .A. Randlett	908.35
H. Uline	395.00
A. Jasper	357.35
F. Marsh	462.00
E. Pushee	456.00
George Grant	330.00
Clarence Gray	251.35
Frank Hewes	143.00
E. Hall	250. 20
L. Young	304.65
J. Young	260.55
E. LaMott	302.85
Lee Cutting	284.85
G. Shattuck	256.95
N. Hood	252.45
W. Harriman	302.85
J. Holmes	315.45
D. Kenniston	252.45
J. Kenniston	256.50
G. Maynard	280.35
D. Fowler	270.45
H. Balch	333.00
C. Eaton	259.20

H. Martin	260.55
B. Bachelder	239.85
G. Bushaw	284.40
E. Dicey	207.45
J. Dicey	213.75
A. Bachelder	288.45
J. Greenwood	364.05
J. Soirette	264.00
S. Milbury	246.15
G. Gardner	72.45
F. Pike	280.80
P. Scroes	137.70
J. Tolrie	147.15
J. Grant	244.35
P. Guyer	93.15
R. Guyer	252.45
F. Mullen	111.15
H. H. Hobbs	3,757.08
L. Mack	104.85
G. Adams	68.85
M. Hobbs	211.95
A. Moran	276.75
C. Geehan	24.30
L. Hutchins	115.65
C. M. Hildreth	.75
R. D. Small	10.70
H. Wing	76.30
Lee Piper	389.50
F. H. Dyer	157.95
Texas Oil Co.	58.80
P. Lacourse	205.00
C. Gilbert	714.00
L. Cady	334.50
G. Kennedy	89.10
F. Shepard	117.45
R. Shepard	44.55
H. Degoosh	133.65
H. Gray	182.25
H. Buckman	275.40
H. Wakefield	135.00
H. Dowse	268.65

H. Young	191.75
J. Brodie	350.00
Am. Ex. Co.	13.94
W. Pike	441.65
R. Goff	234.90
W. Bassett	44.55
L. Hayes	385.00
J. Wiggin	159.30
R. Houston	228.15
J. Cornish	228.15
F. Hanchett	151.20
R. Christie	82.35
Frank Dyer	183.60
F. Dyer	159.30
W. Trueheart	159.30
J. Jameson	207.90
W. Downing	183.60
G. Parker	183.60
P. Goodrich	191.70
A. Wing	106.20
Conn. Valley Tel. Co.	32.50
M. Manchuk	117.45
	\$33,818.69

### Detail Twenty-two

#### Emma Barnes Holt and Geo. W. Barnes Special

George Grant	\$35.00
E. Hall	26.55
L. Young	14.40
J. Young	20.70
G. Shattuck	14.40
N. Hood	22.50
D. Kenniston	22.50
D. Fowler	22.50
H. Balch	14.40
J. Kenniston	22.50
S. Milbery	22.50
F. Pike	22.50
P. Goodrich	32.40
G. Parker	18.45

W. Downing	18.45
H. Wing	11.10
C. Gray	26.55
H. Gray	26.55
W. Pike	49.15
H. H. Hobbs	388.66
Guy Roberts	78.22
Guy Roberts, mileage	19.80
I. E. LaMott, gravel	40.50
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	\$970.28

#### Detail Twenty-three, Dorchester Special

F. J. Bryant	\$42.20
F. J. Bryant, teams	63.56
Chas. Lockwood	35.30
Berton Elder	34.20
Sidney Bates	34.20
Albert Wing	32.40
Alvin Derby	28.35
Guy Brockway	32.00
Guy Brockway	33.78
George Bryant	20.25
Harry Perkins	20.25
Vernon Hall	20.25
Edd Webb	20.25
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	\$416.99

#### Detail Twenty-four, Indebtedness

Dartmouth National Bank	\$17,000.00
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#### Detail Twenty-five

#### Other Governmental Divisions

Taxes paid to State	\$2,535.00
Taxes paid to County	2,202.29
Payments to School District	10,182.31
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	\$15,919.60

David A. Grant, Treasurer  
 Hervey H. Hobbs  
 George A. Pushee  
 Sidney A. Converse  
 Selectmen

This certifys that we have this day examined the accounts of David A. Grant, Town Clerk and Treasurer also the Highway Agent, The Selectmen and Treasurer of the Trust Funds and Library Treasurer and find all correctly cast and each supported by its proper voucher.

Lyme, N. H., Feb. 4, 1927

Ralph W. Balch

Arad J. Warren

Auditors.



Date of Creation	Name of Donor	Amount of Principal	How Invested	Income during year	Income during year	Exp. during year	Bal. same year end
1908 Clarinda and Alfred Davis—Chas. A. Davis		\$75.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	4.92	3.32	2.00	6.24
1903 Betsey Tinkham		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	2.01	2.20	2.00	2.21
1907 Nancy Dimick		25.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	.68	1.12	1.00	.80
1907 Mary Warren		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	.09	2.21	2.00	.30
1913 Thomas Baker—Sarah W. Long		90.67	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	13.91	3.96	3.00	14.87
1913 Walter G. Piper		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	12.42	4.40	2.00	14.82
1915 Freeman J. Holt—Mrs. Roswell S. Fox		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	2.10	2.22	2.00	2.32
1915 Isaac P. Holt—Herbert H. Holt		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	2.00	2.22	2.00	2.22
1915 John N. Holt—Herbert H. Holt		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	1.82	2.22	2.00	2.04
1915 George Swan—Herbert H. Holt		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	3.00	2.22	2.00	3.22
1915 Alfred Kittridge Hamilton—A. K. Hamilton		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	17.44	4.42	2.50	19.36
1915 Alfred Kittridge Hamilton—A. K. Hamilton		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	17.45	4.42	2.50	19.37
1915 Elisha P. Ball & Samuel F. Ball—S. F. Ball		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	2.77	4.42	4.00	3.19
1916 Edson Blaisdell—Mrs. Edson Blaisdell		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	2.76	2.20	2.00	2.96
1917 Leroy W. Emery—Leroy Emery		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	14.45	4.40	3.00	15.85
1917 Benj. T. Washburn—Katherine Washburn		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	8.45	4.40	2.50	10.35
1918 Harris Allen—Mrs. Roswell Fox		25.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	.68	1.10	1.00	.78
1918 Wm. H. Dimick		50.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4		2.12	2.00	.12
1918 Capt. David Turner—Mrs. Julia A. Fitch		25.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	.65	1.11	1.00	.76
1918 David Turner—Frank S. Turner		75.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	4.02	3.16	3.00	4.18
1919 School Fund Note, Funds		2683.90	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4		118.54	118.54	
1919 Thomas Gilbert—Miss Frances Gilbert		200.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	31.67	8.84	2.00	38.51
1919 A. C. & M. C. G. Walker—S. G. & R. T. Walker		200.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	25.24	9.03	6.00	28.27
1920 C. M. Dustin—H. Della Willigar		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	9.72	4.58	2.00	12.30
1920 Wesley Goodell		75.00	Savings Bank 4	8.63	3.01	2.00	9.64
1920 Caleb F. Ward		75.00	Savings Bank 4	8.14	3.01	2.00	9.15
1921 Elisha P. Ball & Samuel F. Ball—Lestina Ball		100.00	Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	12.23	4.25	3.00	13.48
1922 Nathan G. Shattuck—Mrs. Lizzie Franklin			Liberty Bonds 4 1/4	.62		2.13	



## LYME TOWN LIBRARY

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

#### Receipts:

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1926	\$85.70
From Town appropriation	250.00
From fines	15.67
From books sold	.50
Total receipts	<hr/> \$351.87

#### Expenditures:

Books	\$210.67
Periodicals	9.00
Salary of Librarian	52.00
Salary of Janitor	10.00
Light and heat	13.47
Stationery, supplies, postage	1.55
Repairing clock, cleaning	5.25
Total expenditures	<hr/> \$301.94
Balance on hand	<hr/> 49.93
	<hr/> \$351.87

#### Funds in Dartmouth Savings Bank

January 1, 1927

O. W. Dimick Fund	\$327.47
F. W. Davison Fund	96.14
Katherine J. Washburn Fund	237.80
Total invested funds	<hr/> \$661.41

George M. Woodwell, Treasurer

Lyme, New Hampshire

February 1, 1927

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

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### Resources:

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year	3913
Number of bound volumes added by purchase	124
Number of bound volumes added by gift	10
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Total	4047
Discarded	10
Number of bound volumes at <hr/>	<hr/>
end of year	4037
Magazines currently received	3

### Service:

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of fiction lent	2559	507	3066
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent	222	140	362
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Total circulation for current year	2781	647	3428
New borrowers			4
Active borrowers			90

Julia L. Mayo, Librarian.



## **LYME SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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### **School Board**

Alvin D. Thayer	Term expires 1927
Arthur E. Derby	Term expires 1928
Mary A. Chase	Term expires 1929

### **Treasurer**

David A. Grant

### **Truant Officer**

Earl C. Perkins

### **Superintendent**

Charles W. Cutts

### **Teachers**

Plain-Grammar	Martha E. Lamphere
Plain-Primary	Grace M. LaCoss
Center	Augusta M. Humiston
Stetson	Julia A. Pushee
Chesley	Bertha H. Davis
Hewes	Arlene Camp
Whipple	Lula Emerson

## LYME SCHOOL WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Lyme qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Church Hall in said district on the eighth day of March, 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing 3 years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
7. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate \$5.00 on a thousand of the equalized valuation for the support of schools.
8. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4306.39 for the salary of district officers, administration, tuition, per capita tax, special repairs etc.
9. To see if the District will authorize its School Board to enter into a contract with Thetford and Bradford Academies for high school tuition.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Lyme this 10th day of February, 1927.

Alvin D. Thayer  
Arthur E. Derby  
Mary A. Chase  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—ATTEST:

Alvin D. Thayer  
Arthur E. Derby  
Mary A. Chase  
School Board

## BUDGET

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For Year Beginning July 1, 1927

Salaries of district officers	\$240.00
Superintendent's excess salary	450.00
Truant officer and school census	25.00
Expenses of administration	50.00
Teachers' salaries	5,900.00
Textbooks	150.00
Scholars' supplies	150.00
Flags, etc.	15.00
Other expenses of instruction	50.00
Janitor service	300.00
Fuel	400.00
Building and janitor supplies	50.00
Minor repairs	200.00
Medical inspection	75.00
Transportation of pupils	900.00
High School tuition	1,500.00
Insurance	110.00
Special repairs	500.00
Per capita tax	252.00
	<hr/> \$11,317.00

**To Meet Budget:**

Tax required for state aid, \$5. on \$1000 of equalized valuation	\$5,770.61
Dog licenses, estimated	125.00
Trust funds	115.00
State aid, estimated	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$7,010.61

Extra to be raised for administration tuition, per capita tax, special repairs etc.	\$4,306.39
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## LYME SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### Report of the Treasurer For the Year Ending June 30, 1926

#### Receipts:

July 1, 1925 Cash in Treasury	\$2,707.56
From Trustees of Trust Funds	118.54
From Town Treasurer	
dog licenses	224.71
School tax	5,920.04
Appropriation	2,083.96
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	\$11,054.81

#### Payments:

Paid by order of School Board	\$10,231.78
Balance in the Treasury	
June 30, 1926	823.03
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	\$11,054.81

Lyme, N. H., June 30, 1926

David A .Grant, School District Treasurer.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1925,

### Receipts

#### From Selectmen, raised by taxation:

For support of elementary schools (\$5 on a thousand, equalized valuation)	\$5,920.04
For high school tuition	1,500.00
For salaries of district officers	266.00
Per Capita tax	248.00
Extra to meet budget	69.96
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	\$8,004.00

#### From Other Sources:

Dog licenses, (from Selectmen)	224.71
Income from local trust funds	118.54
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Total receipts from all sources	\$343.25
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Cash on hand July 1, 1925	\$8,349.25
	—————
Grand total	2,707.56
	—————
	\$11,054.81

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**and Ending June 30, 1926**

**Payments**

**Administration:**

Salaries of district officers	\$205.00
Supt.'s excess salary	450.00
Truant officer and school census	20.00
Expenses of administration	36.42
	\$711.42

**Instruction:**

Teachers' salaries	\$5,408.00
Text books	174.53
Scholars' supplies	86.61
Other expenses of instruction	12.23
	\$5,681.37

**Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:**

Janitor service	\$272.50
Fuel	457.58
Building and janitor supplies	31.35
Minor repairs and expenses	159.15
	\$920.58

**Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:**

Medical inspection	\$95.00
Transportation of pupils	822.50
High school tuition	1,379.50
	\$2,297.00

**Fixed Charges Etc.:**

Insurance	\$50.00
Per capita tax	248.00
	\$298.00

**Outlay for Construction and Equipment:**

New equipment	\$323.41	\$323.41
Total payments		\$10,231.78
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1926		823.03
Grand total		\$11,054.81

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES

### Administration:

#### Salaries of District Officers:

A. E. Derby	\$40.00
Alvin D. Thayer	45.00
Mary A. Chase	50.00
David A. Grant	70.00
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	\$205.00

#### Superintendent's excess salary:

Francis V. Tuxbury, Treas.	\$450.00	\$450.00
<b>Truant Officer and School Census:</b>		
Francis Chase	\$15.00	
Earl Perkins	5.00	
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#### Expenses of Administration:

Dartmouth Press	\$5.50
Edson C. Eastman Co.	8.05
Mary A. Chase	3.00
David A. Grant	10.00
C. W. Cutts	9.87
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	\$36.42

### Instruction:

#### Teachers' Salaries:

Charlotte M. Perkins	\$660.00
Grace M. LaCoss	818.80
Augusta M. Humiston	828.00
Fredrica V. Nay	823.40
Julia Pushee	720.00
Esther Lind	400.00
Lula Emerson	792.00
Glenna Eaton	119.00.
Blanche Henry	153.00
Lella LaMott	9.20
Martha E. Lamphere	4.60
Henry Wing	80.00
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	\$5,408.00

**Text Books:**

Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	\$15.22
American Book Co.	130.93
Ginn & Co.	12.87
Longmans, Green & Co.	15.51
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	\$174.53

**Scholars' Supplies:**

White River Paper Co.	\$45.27
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	29.55
J. L. Hammett & Co.	11.79
	—————
	\$86.61

**Other Expenses of Instruction:**

Dartmouth Press	\$7.50
R. E. Lane	4.73
	—————
	\$12.23

**Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:****Janitor Service:**

Lucy Webb	\$37.00
Pearl Hanchett	36.00
Charles Horton	36.00
Lulu Tattersall	30.50
Annie Chesley	4.00
Kenneth Follansbee	36.00
Ruth Chesley	32.00
Harry Roberts	22.00
Harry Greenwood	9.00
Earl Perkins	30.00
	—————
	\$272.50

**Fuel:**

Roy Rennie	\$74.00
Ellery Balch	5.00
Charles Horton	1.00
O. P. Hall	32.00
John A. King	58.50
Lawrence Hutchins	8.00
Peter Bollea	88.00
Pearl Hanchett	4.00

W. D. Biathrow	4.00
E. G. Webb	6.50
Perley Hall	8.00
Lulu Tattersall	2.00
F. A. Randlett	166.58
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	\$457.58

**Building and Janitor Supplies:**

Milton Bradley & Co.	\$11.82
F. A. Randlett	1.15
White River Paper Co.	7.00
Rich Bros.	.75
Hanover Special School Dist.	7.00
John S. Rich	3.63
	_____
	\$31.35

**Minor Repairs:**

Perley Ward	\$43.19
F. L. Flinn	11.10
Annie M. Chesley	3.00
Mrs. Fred Hanchett	3.00
Frances Horton	4.00
C. M. Hildreth & Son	3.25
Mrs. Geo. Tattersall	6.00
D. W. Small Estate	25.65
Nellie Gray	11.75
F. C. Welch	31.55
Lucy Webb	3.00
Carl A. Davis	8.16
Francis Chase	2.50
Clarence Pushee	3.00
	_____
	\$159.15

**Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:**

**Medical Inspection:**

Dr. Geo. W. Weymouth	\$95.00
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**Transportation of Pupils:**

Myrtle Wilmot	\$179.00
Homer Wilmot	38.50
Leroy Dennis	346.00
Leo Wilmot	86.00
W. W. Day	173.00
	_____
	\$822.50

**High School Tuition:**

Stevens High School, Claremont	\$97.00
Hanover Special School Dist.	240.00
Thetford Academy	250.00
Kimball Union Academy	680.00
Lebanon School Dist.	52.50
Bradford Academy	60.00
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	\$1,379.50

**Fixed Charges:**

## Insurance:

A. J. Warren	\$50.00
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**Per Capita Tax:**

Henry E. Chamberlain, Treas.	248.00
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**Outlay for Construction and Equipment:**

## New Equipment:

F. A. Randlett	323.41
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Total expenditures	—————
	\$10,231.78

Alvin D. Thayer
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Arthur E. Derby
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Mary A. Chase
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School Board.
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This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Lyme, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Ralph W. Balch

A. J. Warren

Auditors,

## PAYMENTS

From July 1, 1926 to January 31, 1927

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Salaries of district officers	\$37.00
Superintendent's excess salary	450.00
Truant officer and school census	16.00
Expenses of administration	18.12
Teachers' salaries	3,200.00
Text books	56.58
Scholars' supplies	74.46
Expenses of instruction	8.40
Janitor service	129.00
Fuel	184.00
Janitor supplies	8.49
Minor repairs	178.28
Transportation of pupils	551.45
High school tuition	604.50
Per capita tax	242.00
Total payments to Jan. 31, 1927	\$5,758.28

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## **REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT**

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To the School Board of Lyme:

I submit herewith my seventh annual report as superintendent of schools.

### **Teachers**

The changes in the teaching force this year were relatively few. Mrs. Lamphere returned to her old position in the Grammar room at Lyme Plain. Miss Davis, a graduate of Keene Normal, succeeded Mrs. Perkins at the Chesley, and Miss Camp, also a graduate of Keene, became the teacher at the Hewes. The remaining schools have the same teachers as last year. This tendency to permanency in the teaching force means much to the schools. The continuity of the work can be much better maintained, and the ultimate result is more uniform and of a higher grade. The teacher is the important factor, the determining factor of the success or failure of the school. It is, therefore, worth while to retain a good teacher.

### **Buildings**

The buildings are constantly deteriorating unless a considerable amount of repairs is regularly done. It is in the interest of economy to keep the buildings in reasonably good condition. But it is a mistake to consider only the preservation of the buildings. First consideration should be given to the matter of the children's health and comfort. The seating, the lighting, the ventilation, the cleanliness and sanitary arrangements should receive careful consideration. These are the important things, but are more easily overlooked than the condition of the roof or of the paint.

I have repeatedly made recommendations in regard to the heating and the toilet arrangements. Very little has been accomplished, but I am hoping

much more will be accomplished before long. The improvements may be made gradually as means may be available.

### **Finances**

The year closed June 30 with a relatively small balance on hand. The balance due the state, caused by over-payment of state aid during a period of readjustment, has been absorbed (and a small amount of state aid has been received this year. A larger amount should be received during the coming year. The balance that will be left unexpended at the end of the present year is likely to be smaller than that of last June. It will be quite necessary, therefore, to raise more rather than less money for general school purposes.

### **Transportation**

The problem of transportation is not large in Lyme, but it has become rather complicated.

The law provides that transportation shall be furnished when a child lives more than two miles from the nearest school. We have but few such cases. There are a number of cases, however, where schools have been closed and the few remaining children have been given transportation to the nearest school although the distances have not been quite two miles. This would seem to be only just, and would in a measure offset the hardship imposed by closing the nearer school. Local money can be legally used for this purpose, but the state aid money cannot be so used. Therefore the budget calls for more for transportation than the legal obligations would demand.

### **Attendance**

The attendance in the Lyme schools is on the whole remarkably good. Most absences in the schools are caused by relatively few pupils. The majority of the pupils are regular in attendance. It is a very commendable record that eighteen out

of a total enrollment of 121 should have been neither absent nor tardy for the entire year.

This good attendance has much to do with the good work that is being done in the schools.

### **Health Supervision**

The minimum amount of attention has been given the matter of health supervision. Physical examinations are made once a year, but as no follow-up work is done, much of the benefit to be derived from these examinations is lost. A school nurse is needed to visit the schools regularly, and the homes when necessary, and who may do much to bring about corrections wherever defects are found.

The three districts of the supervisory union should unite to employ a nurse to do the work of the entire union. The Hanover Special district is now paying the full salary of a nurse to do the work in that district. It would be glad to share her services with Lyme and Hanover Town districts if they should wish to enter into such an arrangement. I heartily recommend doing this.

### **Conclusion**

The work of the present year is going along unusually well. Good work is being done in every school. The teachers without exception are enthusiastic, and the pupils are reacting splendidly under their leadership. I expect that the entire year's work will be one of the most satisfactory in the history of Lyme schools.

Respectfully submitted,  
Charles W. Cutts,  
Superintendent of Schools.

## SUMMARY OF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

**For Year Ending June 1926**

School	Teacher	Enrollment	Ave. Mem.	Ave. Att.	Per Cent. Att.	Tardiness	Tardiness per Pupil
Plain-Gram.	Fredrica V. Nay	13	12.39	11.79	95.15	5	.4
Plain-Prim.	Grace M. LaCoss	22	20.03	19.36	96.65	2	.1
Center,	Augusta Humiston	19	18.49	17.72	95.83	110	5.9
Stetson,	Julia Pushee	13	10.94	10.56	96.	11	1.
Whipple,	Lula Emerson	23	16.88	15.51	91.88	48	2.8
Chesley,	Charlotte Perkins	12	11.19	10.67	95.35	45	4.02
Hewes,	Esther A. Lind	19	16.44	15.61	94.95	57	2.25
	Glenna D. Eaton						
	Blanche Henry						
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Totals or Averages		121	106.59	101.41	95.14	278	2.61
Totals or Averages, 1925		117	97.17	93.74	96.26	325	3.34

The totals and averages for the year ending June 1925 are given for the sake of comparison.

It will be observed that the total enrollment increased slightly, while the average membership and average attendance increased considerably. The per centage of attendance decreased somewhat, but was still good. The record of tardiness was greatly improved, but still there is altogether too much tardiness in several schools.

The Plain Primary had the best record in both attendance and tardiness. The Stetson had the next best record in attendance and the Plain Grammar had the second best record in tardiness.

It should be noted (from the roll of perfect attendance) that eighteen pupils were neither absent nor tardy for the year.

## **GRADUATES JUNE 1926**

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### **Lyme Plain**

Morton Ball Bailey  
Florance Emma Dike

### **Center**

Ellery Lowell Balch

### **Stetson**

Marguerite Elizabeth Billingham  
Lillian Barbara Gregory

### **Hewes**

Walter Herbert Johnson  
Earl Roscoe Wilmot

### **Whipple**

John Walter Carr  
Carleton Alonzo Smith

## **ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

**For Year Ending June 1926**

### **First Term**

Morton Bailey	Wendell Dennis
Amie Coates	Paul LaMott
Carolyn Jackman	Dean LaMott
Deborah Pike	Jessie Pike
Rosamond Warren	John Piper
Roger Pushee	Olive Young
Ethel Derby	Kenneth Dimick
Kenneth Elder	Ruth Day
Zelma Horton	George Horton
Roger Rich	Everett Rich
Marguerite Billingham	Russell Bailey
Carl Smith	Vera Movelle
Daisey Smith	Chauncey Smith
Evelyn Tattersall	Lulu Tattersall
Lena Chesley	Albert Tattersall
Ruth Chesley	Vera Chesley
Ruth Perkins	Harold Chesley
Charlotte Wood	Esther Wood
Errold Hanchett	Norman Wood
Marian Hanchett	Pearl Hanchett
	Earl Dane

### **Second Term**

Morton Bailey	Carolyn Jackman
Elbridge Pike	Wendell Dennis
Paul LaMott	Dean LaMott
Jessie Pike	Deborah Pike
John Piper	Olive Young
Walter Piper	Kenneth Dimick
Ruth Day	Zelma Horton
Everett Rich	Roger Rich
Russell Bailey	Martha Coburn
Lulu Tattersall	Evelyn Tattersall

Albert Tattersall  
Vera Chesley  
Harold Chesley  
Esther Wood  
Marian Hanchett

Lena Chesley  
Ruth Chesley  
Herman Chesley  
Charlotte Wood

### Third Term

Morton Bailey  
Wendell Dennis  
Dean LaMott  
Olive Young  
Ethel Derby  
George Horton  
Everett Rich  
Russell Bailey  
Vera Movelle  
Lulu Tattersall  
Albert Tattersall  
Charlotte Wood  
Errold Hanchett

Carolyn Jackman  
Paul LaMott  
Jessie Pike  
Kenneth Dimick  
Ruth Day  
Zelma Horton  
Roger Rich  
Marguerite Billingham  
Chauncey Smith  
Evelyn Tattersall  
Esther Wood  
Norman Wood

### For Entire Year

Morton Bailey  
Wendell Dennis  
Dean LaMott  
Olive Young  
Ruth Day  
Everett Rich  
Russell Bailey  
Evelyn Tattersall  
Esther Wood

Carolyn Jackman  
Paul LaMott  
Jessie Pike  
Kenneth Dimick  
Zelma Horton  
Roger Rich  
Lulu Tattersall  
Albert Tattersall  
Charlotte Wood



# VITAL STATISTICS

1926

Births Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1926

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
DAVID A. GANT, M.D., C.P.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1926

Date 1926	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of each at time of Marriage	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of 2nd spouse	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom Married
Mar. 1	Orford	Frank C. Cross Doris H. Dennis	Lyme Lyme	13 W Millman 21 W At home	Meredith Ct. Lyme	Frank R. Cross Elizabeth Hatch Viert B. Dennis Maude A. Pipe	New Hampton Guilford Strafford Lyme	Blacksmith Retired Farmer Housewife	W. J. McNeil 2 D Clergyman Orford, N. H.
May 1	Lyme	George H. Bryant Ruth E. Dimick	Lyme Lyme	22 W Laborer 23 W Domestic	Bryant Dimick	Fred J. Bryant Florence Carpenter Albert Wilkinson	Theftord, Vt. Lyme Littleton Dorchester Nashua	Farmer Housewife Poultryman Housewife	George M. Woodwell 1 S Clergyman Lyme
June 5	Plainfield	Wm. J. Wilkinson	Lyme	26 W Teacher	Portland, Me.	Dora A. Green	Dorchester Nashua	Carpenter Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Marjorie L. LaMott	Lyme	20 W At home	Lyme	James I. LaMott Earl M. Wing	Dorchester Burke, N. Y.	Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Lawrence Hutchins	Lyme	23 W Farmer	Lyme	Ella M. King	Hanover Lyme	Laborer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Augusta F. Pushee	Lyme	18 W Student	Lyme	David J. Pushee Mary M. Gilbert	St. Johnsbury, Vt. Guildhall, Vt.	Housewife Retired	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
June 11	Lyme	Frank L. Flinn	Lyme	54 W Painter	Lyme	Frank Flinn Maria Lewis	Guildhall, Vt. Danville, Vt.	Frank H. Perkins Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Anna A. Flint	Lyme	53 W Postmistress	Lyme	Francois Flint	Guildford, Vt.	Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
July 3	Hanover	Henry A. Bailey	Lyme	32 W Laborer	Lyme	Cordelia Smith	Guildford, Vt.	Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Ida M. Hall	Lyme	25 W At home	Canaan	Henry A. Bailey Holland G. Hall	Maine St. George, N. B.	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
July 8	Theftord	Vt. L'Ynce	Coutr'marsh	26 W Laborer	Lebanon	Augusta Howard Agnes Dunham	Holland, Vt. Vermont	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Vivian H. Whlnot	Lyme	16 W	Lyme	Elie W. Granger	Stratford, Vt.	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
July 17	Theftord	Vt. Frank Hamiston	Lyme	31 W Farmer	Lyme	Myrtle Cummings Darius R. Matavia	N. Hartland, Vt. Lyme	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Sylvia Whlnot	Lyme	18 W	Lyme	Ida Stark	N. Hartland, Vt. Lyme	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Ina C. Squires	Hartford, Vt.	31 W Carpenter	Lyme	Lewis E. Squires	R. L.	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
Sept. 29	Orford	Ralph W. Hewes	Lyme	20 W Laborer	Sharon, Vt.	Carrie B. Tarbel Elmer Whlnot	W. Groton, Vt. Lyme	Farmer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
		Goldie Ackerman	Lyme	21 W At home	Lyme	Mary E. Elliott Am. J. Ackerman Esther F. Emery	Florence Caswell Lyme	Mail Carrier Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
							Pomfret, Vt. Lyme	Laborer Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
								Frank H. Perkins Carpenter	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield
								Housewife	Winfield G. Hubbard 1 S Clergyman Plainfield

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**Deaths Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1926**

Date 1926	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Place of Birth	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 16	Lyme	Caleb F. Ward	79 1 19 Pittsburg	W	Haverhill	Samuel F. Ward	Emily Eastman
Feb. 3	Manchester	Alvah J. Kemp	91 10 22 Lyme	W	Pomfret, Vt.	Lyman Kemp	Electa Brown
Feb. 5	Lyme	Theodore W. Wise	71 7	W	Groton, Vt.	George W. Wise	Harriet Gardner
Mar. 5	Lyme	Angie S. Pike	69 2 6 Farmington, Me.	W	Lyme	William P. Smith	Susan W. Dow
Mar. 7	Lyme	Adna Chase	88 2 25 Lyme	W	Livermore, Me.	Moody Chase	Almina Kendrick
Mar. 23	Lyme	Maurice E. Hughes	73 1 10 Narrows, N.B.	W	Hanover	John Wm. M. Hughes	Anne M. Carey
July 12	Lyme	Robert E. Downing	25 Lyme	W	St. Johns, N.J.	Walter Downing	Mabel G. Parker
July 15	Hanover	Jeanie Kibling	57	W	Narrows, N.J.	David K. Duke	Laundra Roberts
July 17	Boston,	Mrs Doris Kemp	18 10 15	W	Campion	Charles Kemp	
July 28	Kenne	George H. Holt	68	W	Lyme	Isaac P. Holt	Esther Swan
Aug. 1	Lyme	Irving E. LaMott	Lyme	W	Burke, Vt.	Irving E. LaMott	Hazel F. Young
Aug. 7	Hanover	Holly N. Pike	Hanover	W	Weymouth Pike	Dora Taylor	
Sept. 8	Bradford, Vt.		Bradford	W	Thetford, Vt.	Bert Elder	
Sept. 22	Hanover	Augusta Mayberry	60	W	Nashua	C. Bert Elder	
Oct. 24	Lyme	Phoebe A. S. Clark	88	W	Haverhill	Cora L. Blackman	
Nov. 1	Lyme	William Elliott	77 3 21 Mills Isle, Can.	W	Lyme	Lucy Merrill	
Nov. 3	Lyme	Hartian P. Clark	73 9 2 Orange, Vt.	W	Quebec	Harriet Southerd	
Nov. 4	Lyme	John H. Rollansbee	76 1 10 Vershire, Vt.	W	Orange, Vt.	James Elliott	
Nov. 12	Lyme	Viola E. Grant	48 9 3 Thetford, Vt.	W	Vershire, Vt.	Eliza Clark	
Dec. 16	Sanford, Me	Ida M. Kenniston	50 5 1 Topsham, Vt.	W	Thetford, Vt.	Sherburn Folansbee	
Dec. 20	Boston,	Frank B. Pratt	77 5 9 Orange	W	Manchester, Vt.	Daniel A. Ware	Jane Blood
				W	Topsham, Vt.	Israel Smith	Luella Morey
				W	Boston, Mass.	Henry Pratt	Mary Sanborn
				W	Canaan		Eliza A. Hadley

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